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ADMINISTRATIVE

ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ was interviewed on 3/16/73. It should be noted that Miss SCHWARZ was about 80 years of age, had poor eye sight, was very nervous, and stated that she had a heart condition. Because of this, no penetrating interview was conducted and no handwriting samples were taken.

In view of Miss SCHWARZ's age, appearance and apparent health condition, she was politely admonished regarding sending threatening type communications in the U.S. Mail. She was tactfully advised of the local and Federal jurisidictions regarding these types of communications. This interview lasted approximately 15 to 20 minutes.

LEADS.

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D.C. 1) Advise office of Judge RICHEY of the development of suspect SCHWARZ and the fact that she is known as a chronic letter writer to public officials. Also note information as set out in Administrative Section above.

2) Advise USSS and MPD of development of suspect.

NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. 1) Attempt to locate and interview SCHWARZ, 195 Claremont Avenue.

2) Maintain contact with AUSA, SDNY.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy	to

1 - USA, SDNY (ATT: AUSA EDWARD J. KURIANSKY)

Report of: Date:

April 4, 1975

Ome Wew York, New York

Field Office File #:

9-6741

Bureau File #:

Title:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT; Threatening Postcard to

United States District Court Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY,

Postmarked New York, New York, December, 1974;

ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ - SUSPECT

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Character:

EXTÓRTION

Synopsis:

On 1/7/75, a postcard, dated in 12/74, addressed to "U.S. District Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, District Court, Washington, D.C.", and postmarked New York, New York, was received by the WFO, FBT from Judge RICHEY's secretary. The text of the postcard is contained in this report. No identification effected after a search of the FBT Laboratory Anonymous Letter File. No latent fingerprints developed by FBI Identification Division. Review of NYO, FBI files developed ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ, an 80 year old woman, a suspect. USSS and Intelligence Division Metropolitan Police Dept., Washington, D.C., contacted on 1/8/75. AUSA, SDNY, advised on 4/2/75, that he wished Miss SCHWARZ to be reinterviewed in an effort to definitely determine if she was responsible for the postcard in question. Investigation continuing within the MYO, FBI.

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DETAILS:

Investigation was initiated in this case upon receipt on January 7, 1975, of a nostcard, a copy of which is contained in this report, from Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, United States District Court, Washington, D.C.

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Washington Field, at Washington, D.C.

Latent Fingerprint Section, examination:

By a communication dated January 8, 1975, the Washington Field Office forwarded to the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Laboratory and the FBI Identification Division the original postcard addressed to Judge RICHEY.

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1/10/75 Dale of Iranscription___ On January 7, 1975. LIGHEY, U.S. District Court, Washington, D.C., provided FBI Special Agent the following information: advised on or about January 2, 1975, she read a handwritten postcard received at her office on December 27, 1974, which read as follows: "You motherget out of the U.S. District Court or we'll use fire and bomb to get you out." "You gave sympathy to a rapist!" "May someone in your family be raped!" "You are an absolute outrage to have as a judge and to get the salary you get from us for protection and fair play." "Yes, I was a Lieutenant Colonel in World War II--lost relatives In one war. to U.S. District Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, District Court, Washington, D.C., and was postnerked New York, New York, December 2 , 1974. She added that the hendwriting on the postcard was not familiar to either her or Judge RICHEY and that no additional communications of this nature have been received. She has no suspects in the above matter and concluded by advising that the delay in her noticing the postcard resulted from her having been on leave at the time the postcard was received at Judge RICHET's office. Washington: D.D.

Date dictated

U.S. District Judge Chiles R. Pickey

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REPORT of the



Federal Gureau of Investigation Washington, D. C. 20535

SAC, Washington Field Office (9-3590)

January 15, 1975

FBI File No.

UNSUB: Threatening Postcard to USDC

Lab. No. D-750109053 MQ

Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, Postmarked

New York, New York, 12/74;

EXTORTION

Specimens received 1/8/75

To:

Re:

Postcard postmarked "NEW YORK OM 24 DEC 1974,"
bearing handwritten address "U. S. District Judge Charles R.
Richey District Court Washington, D. C." bearing handwritten
message on reverse side beginning "You mother - get..."

Result of examination:

Specimen Ql was searched through the Anonymous Letter File without effecting an identification. An appropriate copy will be added to this file.

No indented writing or watermarks were noted on specimen Ql. Ql is being returned separately. This specimen was photographed.

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REPORT

IDENTIFICATION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-3590

January 17, 1975

, FBI FILE NO. LATENT CASE NO.

B-3628

TO: SAC, WFO

UNSUB .:

THREATENING POSTCARD TO USDC RE: JULGE CHARLES R. RICHEY POSTMARKED NEW YORK, NEW YORK 12/74 EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Airtel 1/8/75

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: UFU

SPECIMENS:

Q1, post card

Listed Q specimen further described in separate Laboratory report.

No latent prints of value developed on Q1, which is enclosed.

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Clarence M. Kelley, Director

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Washington Field, at Washington, D.C.	
On January 8, 1975, Special Agent (SA) advised the following individuals of the threat:	
United States Secret Service (USSS), Liaison Division, Washington, D.C.	b6 b7
Intelligence Division Netropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C.	
New York, at New York, New York	'•
Following a review of files of the New York Office, FBI, ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ was developed as a suspect in this man	ter
On April 2, 1975, the facts of this case, plus back- ground information concerning, and previously obtained from, Hiss SCHWARZ, were presented to Assistant United States Attor (AUSA) EDWARD J. KURTANSKY, Southern District of New York (SDI	jey
by SA as follows:	

ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ, 195 Claremont Avenue, New York, New York, was interviewed on March 16, 1973, by an SA of the FBI and a Detective from the New York City Police Department (NYCPD). At that time, she admitted writing several threatening letters which had been received by various public officials and which had been the subject of FBI investigations. She was developed as a suspect in this case as a result of a file review and handwriting comparison within the New York Office of the FBI.

It was pointed out by SA that in 1973 Hiss SCHWARZ was about 80 years of age, had poor eye sight, was very nervous and had a heart condition.

It was also noted that various AUSAs had previously declined to prosecute in cases involving Miss SCHWARZ's letters.

AUSA KURIANSKY advised that he desired Miss SCHWARZ be reinterviewed in an effort to determine if she did in fact send the postcard to Judge RICHEY. He advised that in the event that fact is determined, she should be properly and appropriately

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reminded of the Federal jurisdiction in this type of case.

As a result of this opinion, by communication dated April 2, 1975, the New York Office of the FBI requested the FBI Laboratory to conduct an appropriate comparison of the handwriting in this case with the known handwriting of Miss SCHWARZ and with other specimens submitted to the FBI Laboratory.

ENCLOSURES TO BUREAU FROM WFO (4)

Re: UNSUB; Threatening Postcard to USDC Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, Postmarked New York, New York, 12/74 original and 3 copies of postcard WFO 9-3590

Airtel dated 1/8/75

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The Bureau has instructed that this matter must receive vigorous and continuous attention until fully resolved. A Summary Teletype, from the Office of Origin, must reach the Bureau by Close of Business (COB) 1/23/75 (10 days from date of airtel) immediately followed by an IHM, from the Office of Origin, suitable for dissemination.

This material was received	
	Court Judge CHARLES R.
RICHEY, Washington, D. C.	
advised that the p	ostcard was received on or
about 12/27/74 while she was on le	ave and was not noticed
until 1/2/75.	
USSS is not conducting a	n investigation to further.
identify the unknown subject so the	at it can be determined if
he is a danger to government digni	
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On 1/8/75 SA	advised the following
individuals of the threat:	
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REQUEST OF THE BUREAUS!	

The Laboratory Division is requested to search this material through the Anonymous Letter File and conduct other appropriate examination. Lab furnish results expeditiously to Office of Origin.

Identification Division is requested to process material for latent fingerprints. Furnish results expeditiously to the Office of Origin.

LEADS

NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. (1) Present to USA for prosecutive opinion.

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- Office. (2) Notify local authorities and local USSS
- (3) Submit summary teletype to Bureau by COB 1/23/75, immediately followed by LHM (or report if appropriate) suitable for dissemination.

WASHINGTON FIELD

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Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re:

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UNSUB; Threatening Postcard to USDC

Lab.# XXXX D-750109053 MQ

Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY. Postmarked New York.

New York, 12/74; EXTORTION

Examination requested by:

LATENTS

Washington Field Office (9-3590) Airtel 1/8/75

Date received: / 1/8/75

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Examination by:

Result of Examination:

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Received by LEPS

Postcard postmarked "NEW YORK OM 24 DEC 1974," Q1 bearing handwritten address "U. S. District Judge Charles R. Richey District Court Washington, D. C." bearing handwritten message on reverse side beginning "You mother - get ..."

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Re:

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Lab.# IXXXX D-750109053 MQ

Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, Postmarked New York,

New York, 12/74;

EXTORTION

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Washington Field Office (9-3590) Airtel 1/8/75

Date received: 1/8/75

Examination requested:

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Result of Examination: No Idento, ALF, 1/13/75

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To:

SAC, Washington Field Office (9-3590)

Date:

January 15, 1975

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From: Director, FBI

Re:

UNSUB; Threatening Postcard to USDC Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, Postmarked

New York, New York, 12/74;

EXTORTION

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FBL File No.

7-49677-69

Lab. No.

D-750109053 MQ

OO: New York

Examination requested by:

Washington Field Office

Reference:

Airtel dated 1/8/7500

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Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

Specimen QI will be returned separately with the results of the latent fingerprint examination.

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SAC, Washington Field Office(9-3590)

January 15, 1975

FRI File No.

UNSUB: Threatening Postcard to USDC

D-750109053 MQ

Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, Postmarked

New York, New York, 12/74;

EXTORTION

Specimens received

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Result of examination;

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REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-3590

January 17, 1975

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

B-3628

TO: SAC. WFO

UNSUB.:

THREATINING PUSTCARD TO USDC

RE: JUICE CHARLES R. CRICHEY

POSTMARKED HEN YORK, NEW YORK

12/74

EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Airtel 1/8/75

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: VIO

SPECIMENS:

Q1, post card

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Listed Q specimen further described in separate Laboratory report.

No latent prints of value developed on Q1, which is enclosed. 9-49677-70

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Clarence M. Kelley, Director

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TO DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON FIELD (9-359Ø)

FROM NEW YORK (9-6741) (P)

UNSUB; THREATENING POSTCARD TO JUDGE CHARLES R. RICHEY, POSTMARKED NEW YORK, NEW YORK, DECEMBER, 1974; EXTORT ION;

REWFOAIRTEL TO BUREAU, JANUARY 8, 1975; REQUESTING A SUMMARY TELETY PE FROM NEW YORK BY THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS JANUARY 23, 1975.

ON JANUARY 22, 1975, DURING A DISCUSSION OF MATTERS SIMILAR TO THAT INVOLVED. IN THIS CASE, NYO AGENTS ARRIVED AT A DECISION THAT THE AUTHOR OF THE POST CARD APPEARS TO BE ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ, AN 80 YEAR OLD WOMAN WHO IS KNOWN TO BE A CHRONIC LETTER WRITER TO PUBLIC OFFICIALS.

IT IS NOTED THAT SHE WAS THE SUBJECT OF BUREAU FILE 21 MAR 11 1975 9-49677 (NY 9-6191), IN WHICH PROSECUTION WAS DECLINED BY THE AUSA, SDNY. CLL INCUMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

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A DETAILED AIRTEL IS PRESENTLY BEING PREPARED BY NYO FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE FBI LABORATORY.

CONFACT WITH LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND LOCAL U.S. SECRET SERVICE, AS WELL AS PRESENTATION TO AUSA, SDNY, IS BEING HELD IN ABEYANCE PENDING A DEFINITE DETERMINATION OF AUTHORSHIP BY THE FBI LABORATORY.

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TO:	DIRECTOR, FBI(9-	03
FROM:	SAC, NEW YORK (9-6741) (P)	
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The following is a chronological summary of cases in NYO files in which SCHWARZ is believed to have been the author of a variety of communications to public officials.

- 1. UNSUB aka
 Mrs. MARY DOELGER;
 ARNOLD G. FRAIMAN, Judge
 Supreme Court of the State of NY-VICTEM
 EXTORTION
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3. UNSUB aka Mrs. MARY DOELGER EXTORTION (00:NY) (Bufile 9-49677) NY 9-5741 (See NY Let to Bureau, 12/13/72)

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5. UNSUB aka
Mrs. MARY DOELGER,
Federal Judge MORRIS E. LASKER, SDNY-VICTIM

(See NY let to Bureau; 1/22/73)

EXTORTION (00:NY)
Bufile (0-49677) NY 9-6191 (consolidated into NY 9-5741) (1)
(See NY airtel to Bureau, 2/14/73)

JON O. NEWMAN, Judge, USDC,
District of Connecticut-VICTIM
EXTORTION
(OO:NM)
(Bufile 9-49677, NY 9-5741)

(See NH sirtel to Bureau, 2/28/73)

As noted in NY letter to Bureau dated 3/21/73, and for the information of Washington Field, Miss SCHWARZ is described as follows:

Name Aliases

Race Sex Age DOB FOB Marital Status Height Weight Hair Characteristics Education

Former Occupation

ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ Mary Doelger. Mary Dodger Irene Dolan Margaret Reynolds White Remale. 11/4/1893 New York, New York Single 5.161 170 pounds Gray dyed blonde Wears glasses (poor eyesight) Graduated Fordham University. Teacher for over 30 years. New York City Board of Ed Taught at FS 51, Bronx, NY

Retired 1952, now on pension

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Following several efforts to obtain an opinion in this case from an AUSA, SDNY, on 4/2/75, AUSA EDWARD J. KURTANSKY (791-0036), in the absence of AUSA JOHN H. GROSS, presently involved in a trial, advised as follows:

Following a presentation of the facts of this case plus the known background information re Miss SCHWARZ as contained in the above case files. AUSA KURIANSKY advised that he desired to have her interviewed in an effort to determine if shedid, in fact, write the postcard in question in this case. He suggested that if she was responsible, she should again be admonished during interview. He indicated that he doubted if prosecution of her would eventually be pursued.

Information copies of this communication are being forwarded to New Haven and Washington Field in view of past and present investigations within those offices.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU

Compare handwriting on the specimens in this case with other handwriting in Buriles 9-55011 and 9-49677 and with the single secimen of known handwriting of MARY DOELGER.

LEAD

NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Attempt to locate and interview ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ, 195 Claremont Ave., NY, NY.

2. Maintain contact with SDNY.

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UNSUB; Threatening Posting and to USDCJ CHARLES R.

RICHEY, Postmarked NY, NY

12/74; ALMA MARIE SCHWARS

SUSPECT

Text of postcard contained in this report. No identification effected after search of FBI Lab Anonymous Letter File. No latent prints developed by FBI Ident. DIV. ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ DEVeloped as suspect by NYO. AUSA, SDNY, adv. he wished Miss SCHWARZ reinterviewed in effort to definitely determine if she was responsible for postcard in question. Inv. continuing. -P-

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 127/99 TY SP-1 CLK/Shu

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To: SAC, New York (9-5741)

April 24, 1975

ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ, aka Mary Doelger

UNSUB; Threatening Postcard

FBI FILE NO.

9-49677

to Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY,

Postmarked NY, NY, December, 1974; LAB. NO.

D-750407003 KW

Re: EXTORTION

xxxivenxxxxixx Request received: 4/4/75

Request comparison of handwriting on the specimens in this case with other handwriting in associated cases and with the single specimen of known handwriting of MARY DOELGER

Result of examination:

Specimen Q1 received in the case entitled "Unsub; Threatening Postcard to USDC Judge Charles R. Richey, Postmarked NY, NY, 12/74; EXTORTION" is being consolidated into the instant matter as Q59. The conclusion was reached that the writer of Q59 also prepared a number of items previously received in this matter.

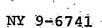
The to unexplained variations, it was not determined whether MARY DOELGER, KI, prepared any of the questioned writing on Q59.



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At Washington, D.C

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that his interest had been s	erved in this matte	er.



The following is a description of ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ:

Name
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Sex
Age
Date of birth
Place of birth
Marital status
Height
Weight
Hair
Characteristics
Former occupation

Miscellaneous

ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ Mary Doelger White Female. 81 November 4, 1893 New York, New York Single Five feet six inches 170 pounds Grey; dyed blonde Wears glasses Teacher for over 30 years, New York City. Board of Education A neighbor of SCHWARZ's advised that she is now senile and suffering from a very bad heart condition, which has recently hospitalized her twice. She is confined to her room and her groceries and mail are obtained for .. her by neighbors.

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From: Director, FBI

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LAB. NO.

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NOTE:

Specimens Q4 and Q5 were identified as having been prepared by the writer of previously submitted questioned items by a search through the Anonymous Letter Field by Laboratory Technician

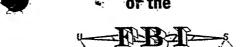
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To: SAC, New York (177-140)

December 16, 1975

		FBI FILE NO.	174-5798	
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Specimens received 11/24/75

Q4 Envelope postmarked "NEW YORK, NY 10001 DM 29 AUG 1975" boaring handwritten address LaI., N.Y."

Q5 Sheet of paper bearing handwritten letter beginning "Listen, you _____...

Result of examination:

It was concluded that specimens Q4 and Q5 in the instant matter were prepared by the writer of a number of the questioned items in the case cuptioned. "Alma Marie Schwarz aka Mary Doelger; UNSUB - VICTIMS -EXTORTION."

Nothing of particular significance was noted to indicate that specimens 04 and 05 were prepared by the writer or writers of the previously submitted questioned material in the instant matter.

Specimens Q4 and Q5 contain no watermarks or indented writing of significance.

to you separately. Photographs have been made.

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DETAILS:

ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ.

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WFO advised Judge RICHEY of the above information regarding SCHWARZ. On 4/30/75 and 5/1/75, AUSA FRANKLIN J. VELIE was contacted and on 5/1/75, he declined prosecution of

On April 30, 1975 and May 1, 1975, Assistant United States Attorney (AUSA) FRANKLIN J. VELIE, Southern District of New York (SDNY), was contacted and advised that the postcard sent to United States District Judge (USDJ) CHARLES R. RICHEY, Washington, D.C. was apparently written by ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ, 195 Claremont Avenue, New York (NY), NY. He was advised that a neighbor of SCHWARZ's recognized the writing style on the postcard sent to the Judge and indicated that in letters written by SCHWARZ, she usually makes reference to the fact that she was a Lieutenant Colonel in the Army in World War II.

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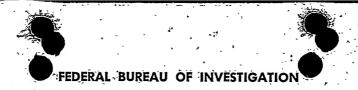
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It was noted that this fact about her being a Lieutenant Colonel is written in the postcard to Judge RICHEY. AUSA VELIE was also advised of subject's description and the fact that she is 81 years old, apparently senile, and confined to her room. AUSA VELIE stated that after considering the above information, he would decline prosecution in this matter, due to the fact that Mrs. SCHWARZ poses no physical threat to Judge RICHEY.



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	The <u>fortowing investigation</u> was conducted by
	Special Agent in the New York
	Division.
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	On April 28, 1975, several attempts were
	made to contact ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ: 195 Claremont
	Avenue, New York, New York, with negative results. b
	On April 28, 1975, in the evening hours
•	contract and application and a state of the evening nous
	contact was made with the superintendent of the building,
	who stated that he had not worked at
	the building over the weekend, and had not seen
3	SCHWARZ since the previous Wednesday.
5	advised that SCHWARZ is an 81 year old white female
	who lives alone in apartment 66. He stated that to
:	bid knowledge County of the state of the sta
	his knowledge, SCHWARZ still resides in that apartment.
-	She has been no problem to the management of the
	apartment, and he does not recollect the Police
•	Department ever being involved with SCHWARZ on any
,	problem.
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	accompanied Special Agent
2	to SCHWARZ's apartment, number 66, and knocked on the
	documents a againment, number oo, and knocked on the
	door with negative results in an effort to locate
	SCHWARZ. At that time, SCHWARZ's neighbors,
	and their son, who reside in apartment came
	to their door and advised that SCHWARZ had had another
	heart attack and was taken to the hospital.
•	On April 28 and 29, 1975, contact was made
	at the Thirtee Charles of Civilian States as in
	at the United States Office, Southern District of
٠.	New York, with Assistant United States Attorneys VELIE
	and KURIANSKY, who stated that they had not reached a
	prosecutive decision in this case at this time.



4/30/75

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	195 Claremont Avenue
	New York, New York, was contacted and advised that
	her neighbor is Mrs. SCHWARZ, SCHWARZ resides in
	apartment 66, and resides in apartment on
3	the of the apartment building at 195
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	advised that on April 26, 1975,
	SCHWARZ had got sick in her apartment, and appeared
	to be suffering from a heart attack. called
	the 26th Precinct of the New York City Police Department
г	and they responded to her apartment. The police and
L	managed to get SCHWARZ into a chair and called
	her sister, to aid her
	sister.
	advised that on the next day, April 27,
	1975, SCHWARZ was again feeling ill and was taken to
٠,	the Union Hospital at 180th Street, Bronx, New York.
٠.	stated that SCHWARZ has had several heart attacks,
- 1	and she appeared to have another one over last weekend.
	initially found SCHWARZ in the bathroom on the
•	floor at about 6:30 PM. stated that she does
	not think that SCHWARZ has many family members or
	relatives in the New York area, and is usually alone
٠,	in her apartment day and night. and her husband
_	and son run errands and do food shopping for SCHWARZ.
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•	Like how that the other traces from theme
•	stated that she has known for some time
•	that SCHWARZ writes many letters to various people in
4	public life. She stated that SCHWARZ mentioned writing
	letters to the President of the United States, Cardinal
	Spellman of New York, several public and church dignitaries
•	and many other people. SCHWARZ appears to be confined
ż	to a chair and hardly ever leaves her apartment. All
	that she apparently does is write letters to different
•	people in the United States, telling them how she feels
	about them and the condition of the country.
	stated that SCHWARZ is a 81 year old woman and would never
	harm anyone, but does write many letters which she mails
•	right there on the 6th floor in a mail chute.
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advised that she believes that SCHWARZ
is very sick at this time, and possibly in danger of
death. She also feels that her sister might put her
in a nursing home at this time stated that
SCHWARZ has no hobbies and no television set and
appears to be senile at this time was shown
a copy of a postcard allegedly written by SCHWARZ
which postcard she stated appeared to be SCHWARZ's
writing. She also noted that SCHWARZ was a Lieutenant
Colonel in the Army and fought in World War II.
It was noted that the person who wrote the postcard
mentioned that she was a Lieutenant Colonel in World
War II. stated that she has seen many envelopes
and notes that SCHWARZ has written, and this one
appears to be in her writing and appears to be the
style that SCHWARZ uses when she writes these differen
letters and postcards. stated that she did not
know that the postcards were of a threatening nature,
but only knew that SCHWARZ did mail a lot of cards and
letters.
advised that SCHWARZ is an ex-teacher,
and has lived in the apartment building many years.

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To:

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April 24, 1975

From: Director, FBI

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ALMA MARIE SCHWARZ, aka Mary Doelgerno. UNSUB; Threatening Postcard

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to Judge CHARLES R. RICHEY, Postmarked NY, NY, December, 1974;

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Remarks:

For your investigative information, nothing of significance was noted in the known handwriting of DOELGER which would indicate that she is responsible for the preparation of Q59.

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